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In re Application of :
Richard N. Zare et al :
Application No. 10/674,652 :
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Attorney Docket No. STNB.055US3 :

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed January 13, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure submit the Issue fee in a timely manner in reply to the Notice of Allowance mailed September 9, 2004, which set a statutory period for reply of three (3) months. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on December 10, 2004.

The above-identified application is being revived solely for purposes of continuity with a Request For Continued Examination (RCE) filed on January 13, 2005.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Irvin Dingle at (571) 272-3210.

This matter is being forwarded to the Publishing Division.


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